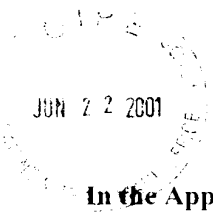


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
(Case No. 95,1408-CCC)

In the Application of: )  
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Kellogg et al. )  
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Serial No.: 09/624,777 ) Examiner: Not Assigned  
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Filing Date: July 25, 2000 ) Group Art Unit: 3753  
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For: Capillary Microvalve )  
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

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Respectfully submitted,

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